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Sir:

Enclosed herewith are the necessary papers for filing the following application for
Letters Patent:

Applicant : ULRICH ABELER

Title : APPARATUS FOR INDICATING A CLOSURE STATE OF A
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5 sheets of drawings.

The payment in the amount of \$385.00 covering the filing fee. Applicant is entitled to
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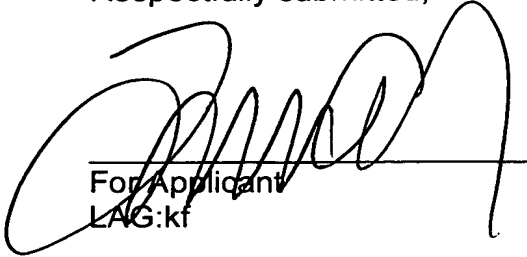
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